IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Klaus Schmitt Appl. No. : 10/583535 Filed : June 3, 2009

Title : METAL CYLINDER HEAD GASKET WITHOUT A SPACING

LAYER

Grp./A.U. : 3674 **Conf. No.** : 3201

Examiner : Gilbert Y. Lee Docket No. : 710280-0009

AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450

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Dear Sir:

In response to the office action dated September 28, 2011, please amend this application as follows: